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FM USMISSION/EC BRUSSELS
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3911

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E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: BDIS, EEWT, ETRD, BE
SUBJECT: ORIENTAL RUG SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES

REF: STATE 116384

MISSION QUESTIONED EC COMMISSION OFFICIAL LOERKE ON MAY 23
ON REPORT REFTEL. LOERKE HAD NO IMMEDIATE INFORMATION
AVAILABLE. HOWEVER, HE INFORMED US ON MAY 27 THAT HE HAD
BEEN IN TOUCH WITH THE COMMISSION'S CUSTOMS PEOPLE WHO HAD
ASKED THE GERMAN CUSTOMS AUTHORITIES IF THEY KNEW OF ANY
SUCH TRAFFIC. THE GERMANS SAID THAT THEY KNEW OF NO SUCH
TRADE. HOWEVER, THERE IS SOME SMALL AMOUNT OF OUTWARD PROCESSING
BEING DONE, I.E. COMMUNITY YARNS BEING SENT TO
EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, SPECIFICALLY HUNGARY, FOR
INCORPORATION INTO RUGS. LOERKE SAID IT WOULD BE
MOST HELPFUL IN TRYING TO TRACE FURTHER IF WASHINGTON
COULD FURNISH INFORMATION ON WHICH EASTERN EUROPEAN
COUNTRIES ARE INVOLVED, WHICH CUSTOMS AUTHORITIES IN THE
EC ARE ISSUING CERTIFICATES OF ORIGIN, AND OTHER DETAILS
WHICH WOULD ALLOW THEM TO INQUIRE FURTHER (WE HAVE
ASSUMED THAT THE ORIENTAL RUGS IN QUESTION ARE IN
FACT MACHINE-MADE IMITATIONS OF ORIENTAL RUGS).
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